

It is a comfort to know
that you can sleep, and
be Rhode that is a comfort
to know she is there, I want
the wife do without the car for you.
went down yesterday and
may not be back till
tomorrow morning. He
has not been able to leave
before for the annual
settlement. He also wants
to see about a wind mill
and has business at John
Kelsey's. It is just possible
that you may have seen
him before you get this
though he would not
promise to go over and see
you, and it is quite uncertain
I think you must need
clean night flannel so I
send it. Hope you will let
me know if you want more
money to get through. Do
let Charlie help you on
your editorial work. Mrs. Stiles

says she
saw you
and that
you were
looking
well, but
you know
it will be
harder and
harder
and I don't
want
you to
break
down.
Yours
Mother

Dear Ab.
Postal and pattern
received. Will do, with
pleasure the best possible
in the matter. Wish I
could take all the care
of dress matters off your
hands until after you
graduate, but you
know how it is. Let
what will happen I shall
come down a day or
two before and can
do all the hasting in
of lace etc. I think
your decision about
dress right, and you
may reconcile your-
self to it by thinking

those looked well enough, but the face does not
I send the above snuffles. Mrs. Styles and I thought
what a good thing it is
to have the custom of
graduating in black
silk, broken in upon.
Just think of the fearful
amount of mental
wear and tear all down
the long procession
of poor girls that are
to graduate at the
U. C. if it becomes a
settled fact that they
can graduate in nothing
else. Truly you may
be doing one of the
most beneficent acts
of your life by not
wearing black silk.

I think we shall get
on beautifully with
our boarders. Mrs. Styles
sister Mrs. Fairbank, has

lived on a farm and
knows how hard it is. Mrs.
Styles your board is a
plain quiet sort of a body
and the young lady is
used to farm life having
her mother's ways taken
the care of the chickens
at home and had what
she could make for pin
money - and been very
successfull. So you
see they will not be
annoyed by a little
hay seed. We are a
family of editors this
week, Joe being editor
of the literary club paper.
It is his first and comes
a little hard, but it
is good for him.
Papa is at the city



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